

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No. : 10/759,154  
Applicant : Hutchison et al.  
Confirmation No. : 7744  
Filed : January 20, 2004  
TC/A.U. : 2163  
Examiner : Black, Linh  
Customer No. : 46157  
Docket No. : 0920.0061C  
Title : Method and System for Executing a Database Query

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE**

**Enclosed** are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed December 15, 2006 for the above-identified application:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Response (11 pages) | <input type="checkbox"/> Associate Power  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Petition for Extension of Time           | <input type="checkbox"/> Revocation and New Power   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Amended Drawings                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Address  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement         | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Request For Continued<br>Examination Transmittal PTO/SB/30 (08-03) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Appeal                         |   |

**Fees**—the fees have been calculated as follows:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	18	- 20=	0	x \$50.00 \$25.00	
Independent Claims	3	- 3=	0	x \$200.00 \$100.00	
Subtotal Total Amendment Fee					0.00
Other fees:					
<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>					0.00

- ☐ Applicant claims **small entity** status.
- ☐ No fees are believed to be due at this time.
- ☐ Credit card payment has been submitted concurrently with the filing of this transmittal (fees have been calculated by EFS Web System).
- ☒ Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time required to maintain the pendency of the application.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required during the pendency of the application, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 09-0460.

Dated:

Respectfully submitted by:

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